

Bingham number 14  
Kewmado no 764





Brightman Young

one pair of shoes

may 2 or 3 weeks of April

the tract depository  
inquire for the Kingdom  
of god is at hand

August 10. 1837

from Channahoe to  
Port Byron



Mr John Bullen lives  
in South Port or Pike River  
West Conson

Cornstock's Hotel  
at the Loerend of  
Albany Basin

I am to leave N. C.

Rockwood's trunk

a Letter for him

I am to leave

I am to leave when

I arrive at Home, J. J. J. J.



Robert Rose lives in  
William street No 130  
Cutler and Surgeons  
instruments

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Mrs. Fordham  
lives corner of Pirl and  
Frankfort St

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May Fordham lives on the  
corner of Frankfort and Pirl St  
entrance on Frankfort St  
Gorge Fordham lives  
in Cherry St No-327



Lew Rogers Proprietor

Amelia Henderson

Daniel Williams lives  
at Ashville

H. Evans Westfield

O. Barnes 4

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Stages Proprietors

H. I. Pece

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Hall of Northeast  
Road at Singing



Mrs Fordham lives on  
the corner of Frankford  
and Pirl. St. — the entrance  
on Frankford St.

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Rufus Merick lives in  
Adrian County of —  
Lineway Michigan

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Ruben Buck lives  
in Wisconsin in the  
town of Belvedere



May 4 1857

L Richards

Dr

of 1000

1.16

May 12 Joseph Young Dr

to cash for house

\$30.00

15

Joseph Young Crd

17 by 1st of shugger

Spencer County

on west hill town in

miles or more in

East right

Miss Pratt Nov 6 9  
Water Street N.Y.



July 29 1837

S. B. Marsh End by cash \$3.00

Montrose July 14 1839  
the daughter of Rogers  
that lives in London

B. Sangiovanna,  
Sculptor,  
No 21, Nassau Street,  
Middlesex Hospital

Croton oil or tiglium





July 27 1837.

Journal of B Young I started  
from Kintau this evening to  
goe down the Lake in company  
with ~~John~~ Joseph Smith &  
Rigdon & B. Marsh and  
others: ~~they~~ we went  
in a wagon to Ashdubury Hook  
about the next day at 3 o'clock P.M.  
arrived at Buffalo at 6 o'clock A.M.  
the 29 had a short time took cars  
for the Falls there Mr Rockwood  
and my self parted with the Brotherhood  
that was going to Toronto. we had to  
tarry till 1/2 past 3 P.M. we used  
the Falls ~~which~~ wanted the large  
house that Nath Bond commenced  
one hundred and forty feet long



Brother Rockwood & my self  
took the rail road for Lockport then  
went aboard of the line Boat Wales  
Brother Rockwood went to  
Auburn I went to Utica took  
the Cars for Albany at 10 P.M.  
took the stage for West Stockbridge  
arrive at Uncle Richards 1/2 past 6  
frida morning the first day  
of August found them well and  
in good spirits returned to ~~at~~  
Albany the same day on Saturday  
went to Troy returned and found  
Coson Rockwood we went aboard  
Steam Boat Swallow arrived  
in N. York Sunday morning  
at 5 o'clock we Gorge Todman  
found that Elder P. P. Pratt



was in the City Brother Elger  
Fordham had gone with him to meeting  
we found them at the foot of Canal  
St Elder P. P. P. was Preaching on  
Board a schooner we held three in  
meeting in the City that day



August 18 1837

took the Steam Boat

Daniel Webster when about  
3/4 of mile from the end of  
Pear a lady fell from the  
stirrup of the Vessel the mate  
<sup>Mr</sup> Clark  
- and 2 others took <sup>Friedrich</sup> Small Boat  
returned and took her up lest  
as she was sinking but a line  
Jane Groves



December 17 - 1838

this day Baptized Elick Anderson  
Williams and Asa Worthen



from Detroit to  
St. Ignace then  
down the Huron river  
town Van Buren  
Symian A. Dunn



Life of B. Young 1839

Left home at Montrose

Saturday morning the 14 of Sept  
at Brokers H. G. H. till 18 wen

Quincy 19 evening) 25 west to

Burton C. Rich 26 at Bro Wilbers

Friday 27 went to Pittsfield

B. S. Wilbur carried out. found

the Brothers generally well and in

good spirits; Monday the 30 went to

Winchester to Brothers Deekers

and Mr Murry's found them all

well. Tuesday October the 1st went

to Brother L. Young they well

we were with while here; Friday the 4

L. Y. Carce out to Tackenville, then

# the friends and Brothers Convoit

out to Springfield, where we were

kindly treated and nursed and



helped to pursue our journey may  
the Lord bless them and all  
the rest of our Brethren ~~with~~  
with all things they have been  
kind to us; Friday the 11<sup>th</sup> Evening  
Brother H. C. H. and my self  
in company with Brothers -  
Haglock Turley G. A. Smith  
and Mr. Murry started on our  
journey went 8 miles staid with  
Father Draper started on our  
journey the  
next morning arrived at Perryville  
Thursday the 17<sup>th</sup> Brother H. C. H.  
was verry sick Brother L. B.  
and my self staid Doct  
Mosesitt till Tuesday the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Brothers Haglock Turley G. A.  
Smith Mr. Murry left us



here; on Monday Brother A.  
Ballet and Doct Knight came  
to Perryville to see us the next  
day Brother James Modestie  
brought us in a carriage twenty  
miles we went from there to  
Pleasant Garden and put up  
with Br Jonathan Crosby  
found them well Brother Ballet  
was preaching through the country  
prosperous he had Baptized 4  
Thursday evening 24 here a  
methodus preach - on Saturday  
26 Br Ballet carried us  
ten miles to Br. Scotts  
we found them well. very  
glad to see us - 27 his son John  
Carried us fifteen miles



we had then traveled some  
miles in the snow we put up  
at a tavern <sup>in belville</sup> staged til the  
Stage came along, we then  
took it and rode day night till  
we arrived at wilkes, we arrived  
at Pittman Sunday November  
the 3 where we found friends  
and the Church in a striving  
to serve the Lord -  
on Monday the 4 John Young and my  
self visited Brother Kent and family  
found them well in good faith  
found a some division of sentiment  
among the Brethern: Sunday the 10 Brother  
Taylor Preached in the fore noon and  
H.C. Kimball in the after noon  
Sunday the 17 I Preached in the



forenoon Brother Taylor in the afternoon  
in the evening I anointed Brother  
Taylor in the House of the Lord the  
Proses was as follows. after Brother Taylor  
had washed in pure water and castel.  
soaps then we all went to House of the  
Lord H.C.R. opened the meeting by prayer  
I then anointed B. Taylor with pure sweet  
oil and pronounced such blessings  
as the spirit gave utterance, J. D.  
then arose and prayed for himself  
Brother Durley was anointed by D. S.  
Miles then it was sealed by Haganua  
then their feet was washed the  
meeting Closed. Monday 18 went to  
Newbury to Brother R. Potters returned  
on Tuesday to Kirtland on Friday the 22 went  
to Lake Port here we are waiting for



a boat; on Tuesday 26 went on  
board the Steam boat Columbus  
at one O'clock P.M. arrived in Buffalo  
the next morning; we had an eventful  
time on the lake, the wind arose about  
one O'clock in the morning I went upon  
deck and I felt inspired in spirit to  
pray to the Father in name of Jesus  
for a forgiveness of all my sins and  
then I set to command the winds  
to cease and let us go safe on our  
Journey the winds abated and glory  
to our owner & praise be to that God that  
rules all things. Wednesday 27 took the  
stage went to Batavia. Thursday  
evening back the cars went to  
Rochester took the stage rode all  
night Friday morning at 10 A.M.



arrived in Auburn stayed till Saturday  
30 went to Moravia found Brother Isaac  
Hate stayed till the next Friday the 6 of Decemr.  
Br. I. Hate took his team & brought out to  
Br. Joseph Murdock in Hamilton Madison  
County we arrived here Saturday evening 7 Dec  
Preached at Br. Murdock Sunday the 8.  
Preach in the evening. the week follow-  
ing visited the Brethering they were  
verry kind to us I think I shall  
never forget them in time nor in  
eternity had a meeting Tuesday evening  
Thursday evening Sunday the 15 Preached  
in Watterville at Brother Gifford's  
returned on Monday to Hamilton  
on Friday went to Eaton saw Eason  
Fitz & Salmon Brigham on Saturday  
returned to Hamilton called on



Phineas Brigham on Sunday the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Preached at Brother Murdock went to  
Waterville on Monday 23 with Brother  
Gifford Tuesday<sup>25</sup> started to see Br. Bla-  
cklee went six miles beyond where  
met with Brothers Blacklee & Br.  
Roberson staid at Br. Spining, and  
returned 27 to Waterville 28 went  
to Hamilton Sunday Br. Blacklee  
Preached, on Wednesday the 1 day of  
January 1840 Brother J. O. Smith  
& myself, left Hamilton after staying with  
the Brothers in three weeks and better  
we had a good visit with the Bro-  
therin they helped us on our  
journey on Thursday the 2 came to  
Utica Brother James Gifford  
brought, Friday the 3 came



put up.

Albana, at the Railroad House

4 found the Brethren in Albana went to Troy &  
then to Lancaster heard Brother P. Richards  
Preach on Sunday the 5 I Preached in Lancaster  
returned to Troy held a meeting with the  
Brethren Monday returned to Albana Tuesday  
took the stage came to Richmond found the  
friends well spent the time with the  
our cosons had a good visit I Preached on  
Wednesday evening G. A. Smith on Thursday  
evening Sunday the 12 we had a meeting at  
Wm Persons Brother Burson was withous  
Brother <sup>son.</sup> Duke from Albana Preached on  
Friday the 17 Eason Persons brought us to  
Canon Connecticut Preached Sunday the 19  
at Sheffield Mills found the Brethren  
well. Staid till Sunday the 26 G. A. S.  
& myself held a meeting at Brothers Frenchs



monday 27 Brothers Smith & French con-  
valed us to New Haven we had to stay till  
friday<sup>31</sup> we took the steam Boat New Haven  
went within 18 miles of New York took caridge  
arrived in New York about 10 in the evening  
found P. P. Pratt's house in a few minits. Satard  
the 1 day of Feb spent the day at P. P. P. sundy  
2 G. A. S. to my self preached in the Columbian  
Hall I attended meeting every night till sat  
sunday 9 I Preached 3 times in the hall attended  
metings through the week till saturday, this  
day I felt so hurt my self very much so  
I was not able to dress my self for 4 or 5 days  
sunday 16 stayed at P. P. P. Sunday morning B.  
Kimball arrived at P. P. P. the next Sunday  
the 23 I attended meeting in the  
Hall heard P. P. P. Preach Tuesday 25  
R. Hadlock & my self went to



He ministered Preached in Rockway and in the  
neighborhoods about till wensday the 4 of mar  
ch there was 9 Baptized we returned to  
N. York held a counsell with the ch  
urch several ordained to the office Elders  
we staid till sunday Preached in the  
Columbian Hall on monday I went  
on board the ship Patrick Henry  
had a long passage of 28 days 16 days  
head wind a number of days calm  
one severe storm 3 or 4 days some  
others stormes as rate dead of the time  
the ship <sup>decks</sup> would be washed from  
end to end we landed in Liverpool the  
6 of April the first day of the eleve  
nth year of the church found Bro  
Saylor tuesday 7 wensday went to Preston  
W. Richards came home thursday, the next



Sunday several of the Br Bone testimony  
of the gospel. Tuesday the 14 the  
twelve held a council ordained W.  
Richards in to the crown of the twelve  
Wednesday 15 met in council with the  
Church Thursday the 12 met and  
finished the Business. Friday spent  
at Father Moones drank of wine that  
was made in the year eighteen  
hundred making it 40 years old  
Saturday the 18 Br Woodruff and myself went  
to Manchester stoped 3 or 4 ours then went  
to Burslem Staid <sup>19</sup> over the Sabbath &  
preached Mon 20 took Coach went  
to Woburn Hampton staid all night  
Tuesday 21 went to Dorchester visited  
the old Cathedral then took  
Coach went to Leabury staid



went 22 west to froons hill met  
with the Brin organized a branch  
of the Church at Standly hill  
Thursday 23 went morons Cross Friday 24  
went moluen hill preach. Sat 25  
returned to Br Benbowes at froons  
Sunday 26 preached to the Brin spent  
the time at Br Benbowes in writings  
letters one to E. Robinson & D. C. Smith  
1 to Joseph young 1 to L. Young 1 to my wife  
1 to John young till Thursday 30 we went  
to Brother Kingstons found E. Richards  
may the 1 spent a part of day returned  
to froons hill Saturday 2 I returned to  
Ledbury preached till Wednesday 6 went  
Mr Greene in Lugdare in preached  
in the evening Thursday 7 went  
Br Fay in Marden Preached in



the evening ~~thursday~~<sup>a</sup> friday I went  
to Shucknell hill Preached in the  
evening at Br W<sup>m</sup> Eddeston  
saturday I returned Lugwardine  
Confirmed about 12 in number  
son in Lugwardine ordained P.  
Greene an Elder Preached in the  
evening on monday 11 went to  
Shucknell hill Preached in the  
evening on tuesday 12 went to  
Tunnic hill to Br Benbow's stage  
had a meeting. wednesday evening at  
Br Woodruff thursday went to  
Ledbury Preached in the evening  
ordained Br John Pease an  
Pease on friday went to Br  
Lington met with the Brethren  
Br Woodruff & Richard was



Present we spent the time very  
agreeable attended a meeting on  
Sunday the 17 in the Brick Chapel  
Monday went to Box Hington  
spent the day with the Brethren  
they had a Tea Party we had  
Prayers Confirmed several ordained  
anumber there was 20 Baptized  
that day - Tuesday went to <sup>St</sup> Keyser  
with Brother Richards & Wadsworth  
I Preached in the evening, on Wednes<sup>day</sup>  
the 20 we went on to Bacon hill  
we had Prayers and a little counsel  
Brother Hington came along and  
I started along with him came  
as far as Wolvenhampton and  
staid one night the next day  
I came to Burslem found



Brother G. A. Smith and Purley  
stayed till Saturday the 23 then  
came to Manchester found Br.  
J. P. Poatt well all well amongst  
the Church met with the Church  
on Sunday<sup>24</sup> had a good meeting on  
Monday we visited the Printers  
Tuesday 26 Br Taylor came here on  
Wednesday 27 Br Kimball came we sel  
ed hymns till Saturday 30 Br Taylor  
Kimball and my self went to  
Liverpool I Preached on Sunday 31 to  
the Church saw the Brother in that was  
going to America Brother Kimball and  
my self laid our hands on them and left  
there on Thursday or Wednesday 3 Br Taylor  
and my self visited the printers on  
on Sunday I preached again on Mon



day & I went over the river to Chessher in  
company with J. Layton Michall his wife and  
sister tuesday & took the morning train of cars  
came to Manchester went to collecting hymns  
thursday<sup>th</sup> went to visit a garden it was rainy and un-  
pleasant came home I was rejoiced because I had  
a comfortable home. after B. P. P. Pratt and myself  
talked some time about the necessity of the Elders  
having the power of god with them I fell asleep &  
dreamed & dream I first dreamed of being at home in  
the state I first saw Elizabeth Gasker where  
her mother was she said she was about  
the house she soon came in I shook hands  
her heartily as I had done with Elizabeth  
I embraced her in my arms and kissed  
her 2 or 3 times and asked her where my dear  
children was she & Elizabeth both an-  
swered and said they were at school and



they were well and enjoyed the book  
and loved their Books. my wife says we  
feel well but you must provide for your  
own families for the Church are not able  
to do for them. I met a small company  
on the north which I thought were saints  
and another company on the south. these  
both were in west while the main body  
of the inhabitants of the Kingdom were  
East of the 2 small companies, these 2 small  
ones were at war with each other the  
north company would over come the south  
from time to time, and as they <sup>the south</sup> diminished  
they were replenished from the main  
body from time to time who as a  
community took no notice of the con-  
tention between the small parties  
I saw the process but not the end there of



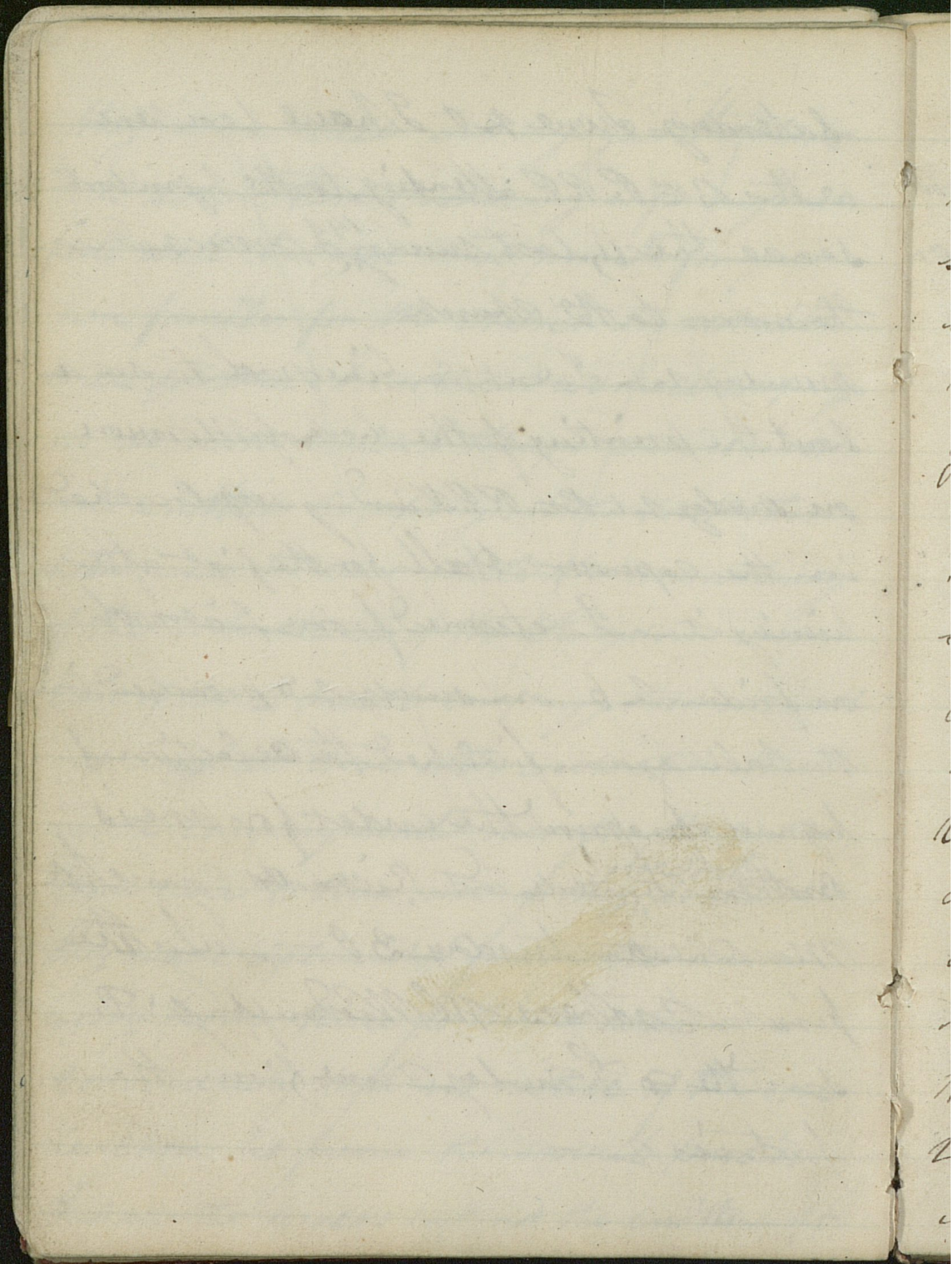
Saturday June 20 I have been here  
with Bro P. P. P. attending to the hymn book  
since the 11, last Sunday<sup>149</sup> I preached in  
the room to the Church

Monday 22 I went to Liverpool to see a  
bout the printing of the book of Mormon  
on Sunday 21 Bro P. P. P. and myself preached  
in the Capendaers Hall for the first after  
hiring it - I returned from Liverpool

on Friday 26 on Sunday 28 preached in  
the hall again - finished the selection of  
hymns prepared the endet for press

Brothers Himmell and Richards came to  
Manchester Tuesday 30 - July the  
first Brothers W. W. W. G. A.  
Smith & L. D. D. came from the  
Potteries 2 -







Sept the 5. 1840 This day went  
to Liverpool to see the Brethren of  
staff till Thursday the 10 I preached  
Sunday morning on Saturday evening  
We held a meeting of the Br that was  
going to America B. D. Dunley was  
chosen to take charge of the company then  
we selected 6 more to be his <sup>was</sup> counsellors  
so the company was organised B.  
Richards and my self started on Monday  
night on Tuesday morning the  
vessel went out about 9 a.m. we went  
out a bout <sup>15 or</sup> 20 miles with the left there  
all in good spirits Br Richards  
returned that night I returned on  
Thursday 10 —

24 as I was coming from <sup>gfield</sup> Tuckin  
in company with Henry Royal I discovered

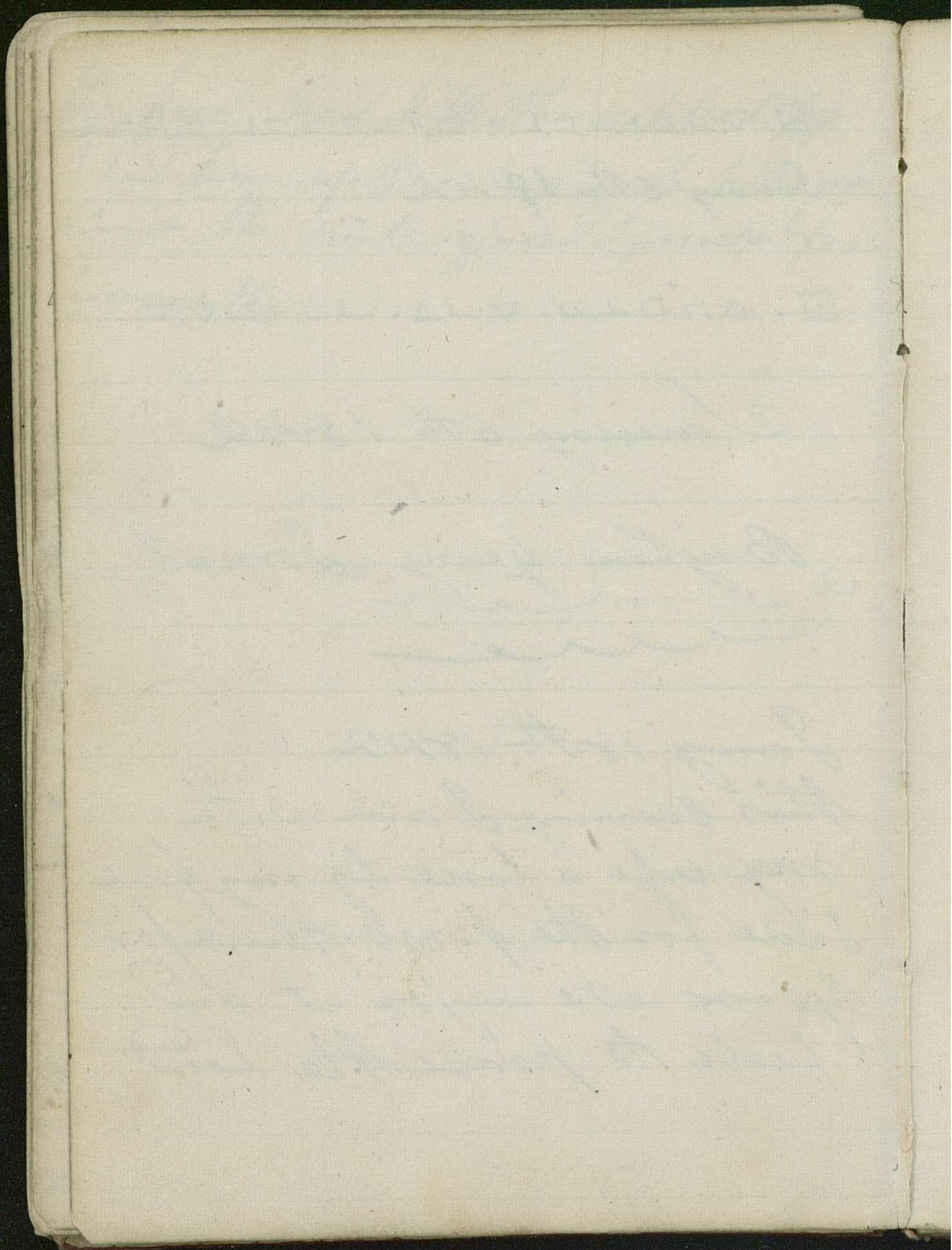


the frost had killed the potatoe tops  
I had been up there to preach had a good  
time the saints rejoiced I preached from  
Romans 9. C-

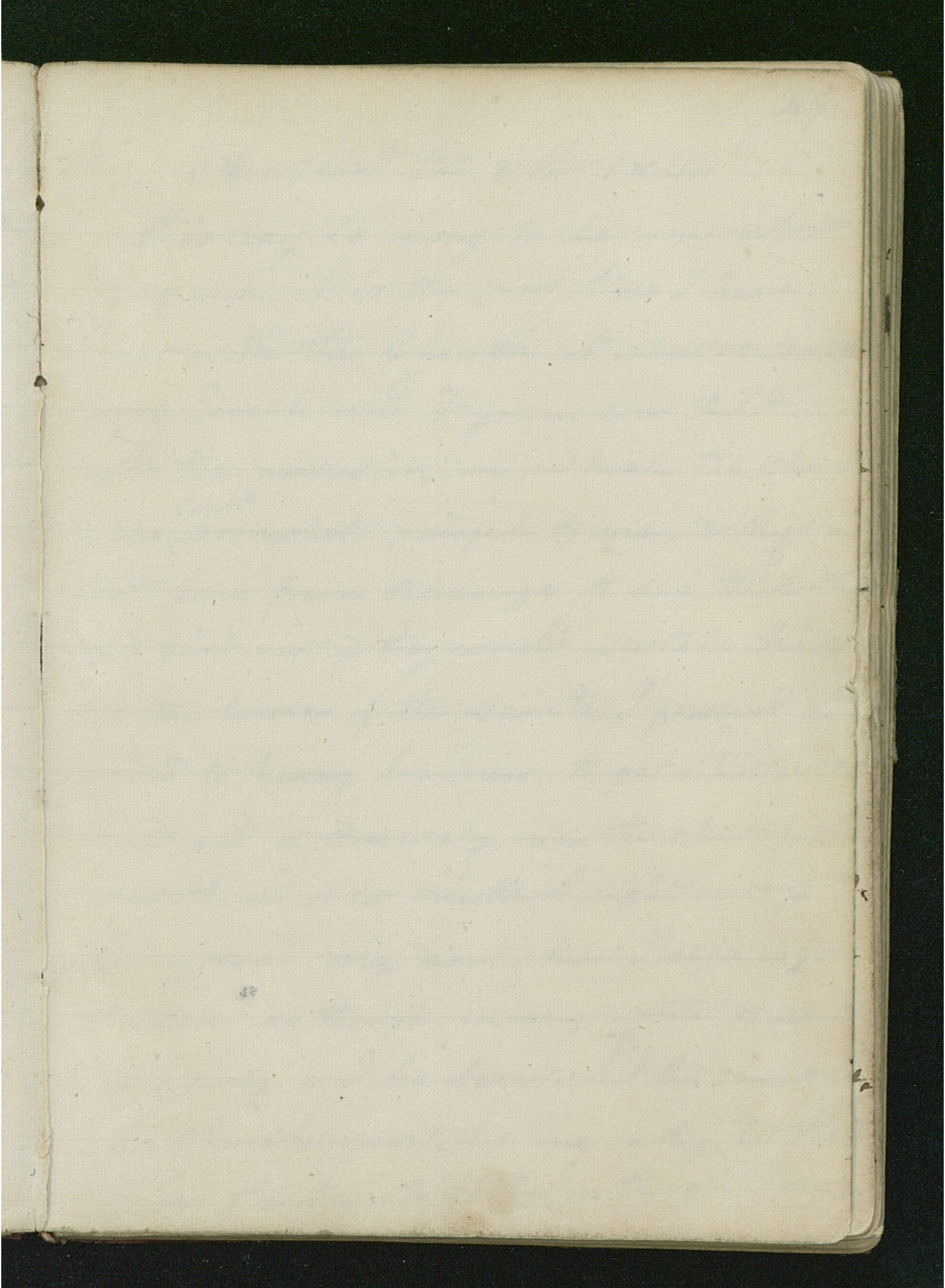




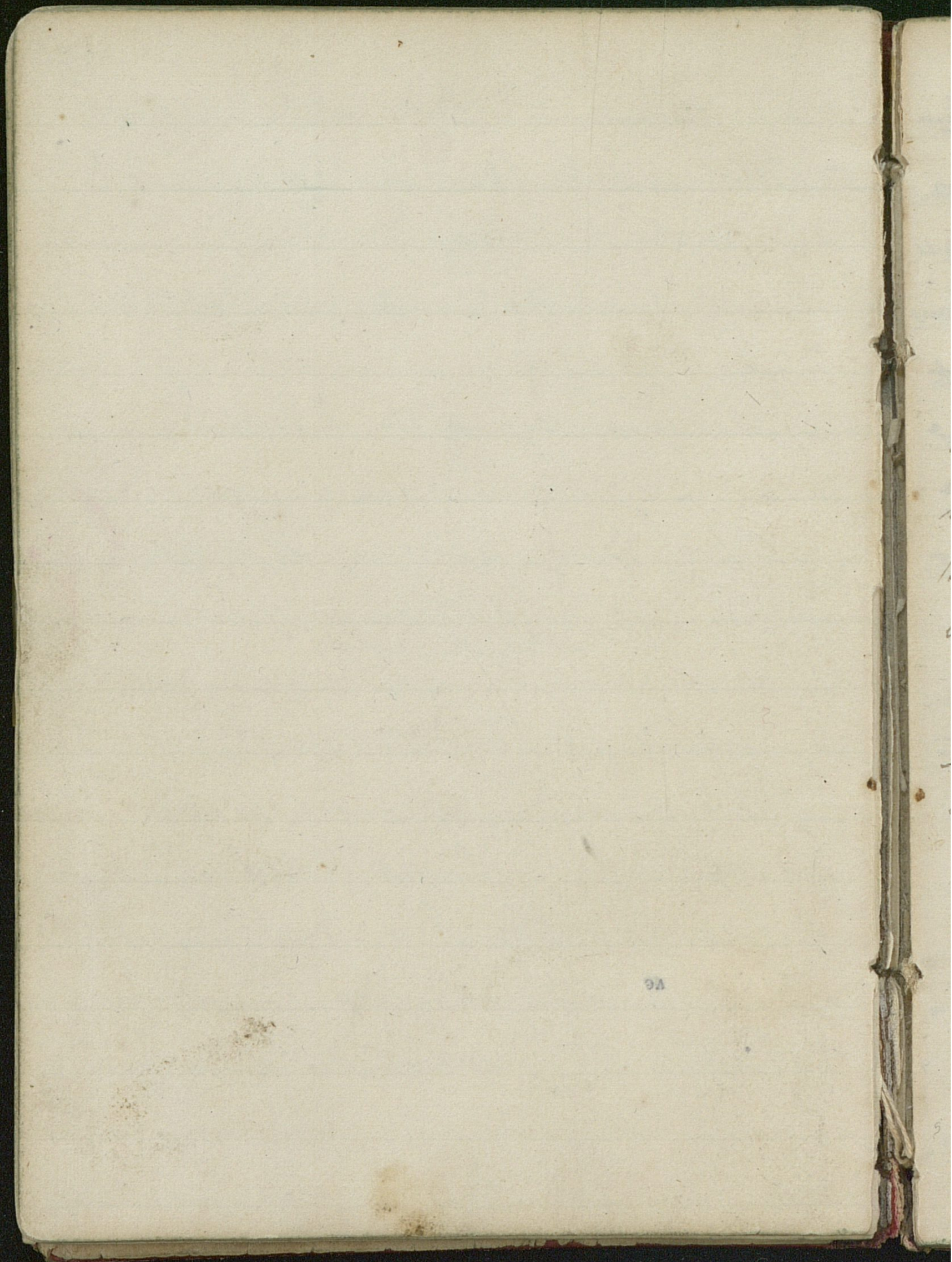














August the 8th 1844

This day is long to be remembered  
by me, it is the first time I have  
met with the Church at Nauvoo since  
Bro Joseph and Hyram was killed —  
and the occasion on which the Church  
was <sup>quite</sup> somewhat painful to me, Bro Rigdon  
had come from Pittsburgh to see the Brethren  
and find out if they would sustain him  
as the leader of the saints, I perceived a  
spirit to hurry business, to get a trustee or  
Trust and a Presidency over the Church  
Priesthood or no Priesthood right or wrong  
this grieved my heart, Now Joseph is gone  
it seem<sup>d</sup> as though menning wanted to draw  
off a party and be leaders. but this cannot be,  
the Church must be one or they <sup>are</sup> not the  
Lords; the saints looked as though they



had lost

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-a friend that was able and willing to counsel them in all things: in this time of sorrow my heart was filled with compassion, after Br Rigdon had made a long speech to the saints (I should think 5 hours and) I arose and spoke to the people, my heart was swollen with compassion towards them and by the power of the Holy ghost even the spirit of the Prophets I was enabled to comfort the heart of the Saints. in the afternoon a coronation to my request the people assembled by thousands I laid before them the order of the church and the Power of the Priesthood, after a long and laborous talk of a hour two ours in the open air with the wind blowing, the church was of one heart and one mind they wanted the Twelve to lead the church as Br Joseph had done in his day. Br Rigdon was called upon to make some remarks but refused to do



so I came upon the Church to express their  
wishes by vote if they wanted Br Rigdon  
for their President on which motion Br  
Rigdon objected and wanted the vote taken to  
see if the Church wanted the Twelve to Preside  
and it was done, and the Church with one heart  
and voice lifted up their hands for the Twelve  
to Preside.

in this meeting the  
Quorum was organized the High Council  
High Priest Seventies/Elders &c. &c. -

Friday 9 had a council with  
the 12 had a good council, we augmented  
Brs Newel F. Whitney and George Miller  
as trustees for the Church in Hancock Co.

on Saturday 10 continued our councils  
to transact business for the Church

Sunday the 11 Br Luman Wight Preached  
and set the Brethren in a great glory



leave here and goe with Br L. Wright into  
the wilderness. we continued our  
councils from day to day to regulate  
the Business of the Church. I found  
that Br Emmet was raising a company  
to goe away in to the wilderness or  
some where else.

on Sunday the 18 I Preached to  
the saints in the morning I had  
good liberty and by the help of the  
lord I was enable to satisfy the  
Bretherin and unite them together  
so they so that they will finish the  
Temple for

on Monday 19 the twelve  
had a council here a letter  
from off J. St. Bernard



August

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Bro Wilford Woodruff is going to England to take charge of all the Churches Printing and emigration Business. Bro H. Clark goes with him

Sunday 25 went to the stand Bro Woodruff Preached & spoke to the saints 3/4 of an hour had a good meeting gave much instruction to the saints and liberty to baptize the saints for their dead relatives

Brs Hyde P. P. Pratt Cahoon and Phelps Bore testimony

26 Baptized George Miles the Lawyer — had a conference with the officers of the Legion

27 met with the officers of the Legion the council decided that they would carry out all Joseph's <sup>business</sup> ~~things~~



There was 6 of the twelve was present  
 the Brethren felt spiritet on the  
 subject

a list of the states

W.M. Phelps Maryland

4 in York State

1 Connecticut

1 Delaware

2 Virginia

2 Ohio

1 Alabama

1 Missisipi

2 Pennsylvania

2 North Carolina

1 South Carolina

2 Georgia

2 Tennessee



1 Jersey 1 Jersey

1 Lewisany

1 Arkansas

1 Missouri

2 Indiana Willard Snow

1 Maine

1 New Brunswick

1 New Hampshire

1 Vermont

1 Michigan

1 Wisconsin

2 Kentucky

1 Holland

1 Lower Canada

1 Upper Canada

1 Letees Lucian Woodworth



August 28<sup>th</sup> 1844

Brother Wilford Warriss in  
company with Br Hiram Clark  
and D. Jones started this day  
for England they went off in good spi-  
rits, they took their wives with them

29 we were in Council this day  
It is our fast day with the saints  
There is 16 present

we have had a good meeting. I came home  
with Br E. D. Wiley. I laid hands on a  
good many at the stand

30 a company of twenty of the Brethren  
came down to Father Mikesell's to get  
peaches and more came after words  
Br H. C. Kimball J. Taylor Orson Hyde  
G. A. Smith Amasa Lyndon Father  
John Smith is within



Father & Mother family are glad  
to see us, we have a good day

31 took my wife and Venice went on  
to the hill found Br Greene very sick  
could not Br Joseph young. Lamb Clarke  
came home about 10 o'clock AM

attended Courtmarshal at the school hall  
the Court marshal. Elected me for  
their Lieutenant General and Charles  
L. Rich for their Major General

It was done without a dissenting voice  
in the evening at 6 o'clock. we had a  
school meeting chose 3 Trustees

Sept 1<sup>st</sup> 1844

I went to the meeting ground in the  
forenoon B. S. Nighon preached  
his discourse was consoling and



and some what scattered he said he  
had all things shone to him from this  
time to the winding up scene on the  
great Battle of gag and many gag, there  
was great things to take place but  
he did not tel what the saints should  
do to save themselves

at  $\frac{1}{2}$  past 2 P.M. I met with the  
high breast Anoran. I spoke to some  
length to the Brethren Br Hinball  
spoke, then went to the ~~high~~  
Seventies hall spoke to the Brethren in  
that place concerning there orga  
nization, ~~Sevensore~~ Little (here)  
2 monday went on to the hill got  
my luggage picks at Br Pecks took  
tea with Br Joseph young  
saw Br J. P. Greene he was sick



Bro William Richards a sick man  
 in the evening went to Bro H. C.  
 Kimball, saw sister Williams and  
 sealed him to his husband J. W.  
 Bro H. C. Kimball stood as proxy  
 Tuesday I had an interview with  
 Bro Rigdon he said he had power and  
 authority above the Twelve did not con-  
 sider him self bound to their council  
 in the evening the Twelve had  
 a council with him again he was  
 far from being or feeling an in-  
 truder with the Twelve after a long  
 conversation Bro Rigdon's licence  
 was demanded he would not give  
 them up said the Church had  
 not been led for a long time by  
 the Lord, and he should come out



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tell all about the secrets of the  
Church

4 Br ~~Etetader~~ - Hunt

Paid in \$25.60 for the temple  
had a day of rest

5 Br Marks came to see me  
about Bro Rigdon and his  
revelations in the afternoon  
went to the prayer meeting  
and exposed the false prophets  
sister <sup>Sarah</sup> Rockwell

came with a pair of gloves for  
the temple. So meeting \$525

6 Br Kimball and my  
self visited the sick till 2 o'clock  
P.M. Bro A. Lyman C. Pa d  
int ge - had a council in the  
evening with the officers of the Lagoon



Sept. 6. 1844 59.

6 Br. George W. Whitney  
stated to Br. H. B. Pindall  
that he was in a meeting  
last week at Lyman's  
there he heard ~~some say~~  
say that the 12 were in the  
Bazar business and there  
was sets out for them at  
Cathage.

They Sidney Rigdon and  
his party must send cir-  
ten men to the Branches  
to turn the saints to him  
then he could have them  
he S. R. said he should  
go to Pittsburgh and  
publish all the wicked-  
ness & history of Nauvoo.



Let it rest on the living  
 or the dead insinuating that  
 Joseph & Hyram was wrong  
 Samuel James read a charge  
 made the application that  
 Joseph was deceived and left  
 to have false revelations.

Some said there was no  
 use to pay any thing more  
 on the temple (namely Crow  
 or Hunter Twist & Richard  
 Rigdon as sent to it all  
 and gave them some instruction

Twist or Sahy said we  
 we must not come out  
 against Joseph at once  
 or pull on that string  
 to have you know the



61 India the 7/12 1844

meetings of the People  
and the man of sin spoken of is  
the teacher

7 I sealed Br John P. Greene  
my sister Rhodia Young and  
to Mary Eliza Nelson, as  
he was dying

the names of my staff  
4 adicamps

Isaac Morley first  
Jefferson Hunt 2

2 Secretary

12 Guard

1 Alpus Cutter

Br John McQueen come to my house  
to Board or live with me



Ronalds Chorn

James Albread

Thomas Grover

John Butler

George Cramer

Abraham C. Hodge

Bedrick Roundy

Cornelius P. Lott

Dunbar Wilson

Henry J. Sherwood

Samuel H. Smith

1 Chaplen

Drill master General

Commander of the Staff



Sept 9 1844

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Thomas Morris  
one mifel \$20.00  
for the temple

10 Br John Trayer Crd for  
the temple — \$10 --

10 David Corbett  
Crd by cash for temple  
thirty three dollars

on Sunday the 8 we had  
a meeting on the stand a bout 6 or 7  
thousand People Present we tried  
Br Sidney Rigdon and Cut him  
of from the Church and Samuel  
James  
Newton Gorge



Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1844

24

~~Moxney~~ John Hozges and some  
others, were over 6 ours  
on the stand the congregation was  
well satisfied. Rigdon and his party  
held a meeting in the morning and  
concluded not to make any defence

Monday 9 I visited the  
Sic Br J. P. Greene R. P. Pratt and  
others

Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup>

Br J. P. Greene died this  
morning about 6 o'clock.

Law... Denning I was made  
a grantee with Dr C. Hyde  
started for Fintona and a  
council with the 12 and others



M E

65

Sept 10<sup>th</sup> 1844

This day I visited Br Isaac  
Chace Br H. C. Kimball was  
with me Br & sister Chase with  
their daughter Claricy was at  
home, we had a good visit  
Br H. C. K. and I stopped at Br Gleason

Wednesday 11

Burned Br L. P. Greene visited Br  
Edwards family

12 Br Elias Hobert came to  
me wanted counsel of me concerning  
his family. Br Hobert said Br L  
Wright helped him to a team to  
come to this place. I W.  
sent Br Hobert to Mississippi  
to see the brethren there about  
going with L. W. to Read River



Sept 6<sup>th</sup> 1844

Br L. M. said Br H. Heath the  
he understood all about it

Friday 13 went to the  
parade ground where the officers  
were drilling Johnathan Duran  
was elected Brigadier General of  
the 2<sup>nd</sup> cohort to the Nauvoo Legion  
I visited Mother Smith with Br &  
sister Kimball —

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup>

called on sister Hyman Smith  
Br & H. C. Kimball & J. A. Smith  
was with me attended to  
offering up prayers for St. Lyman.  
Then went to City Council appointed  
J. O. Wright marshal &  
W. W. Phelps recorder of deeds  
at 2 o'clock P.M. Br J. Taylor



Sept 6 1844

and I went up to the parade ground  
saw the second cohort inspected  
in the evening paid Br Amasa  
Lyndon a visit found him much  
better  $\frac{1}{2}$  past 8 o.c. P.M. ....

Monday 16

at 6 o.c. A.M. I went to the ground  
where we located the arsenal on the  
lot Graham Cotton lines on near  
the temple H. J. Menwood surveyed  
the ground for the Building 48 feet 4 inch  
north or south 33 feet 4 east & west,  
we then uncovered our heads and lifted  
our hands to heaven and I dedicated  
the ground to the god of the armies  
of Israel. I then took the spade  
and broke the ground for the  
Soller Generals present



<sup>168</sup>  
Charles C. Rich Sothan Dunham  
and other of the officers of the Legion  
Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> w

I have been in council  
with the 12 and Bro Whitney  
G. Miller. we have had a good  
visit to gether read Br. W. Smith  
J. J. Adams & O. Hyces letters  
Thomas Morris

and on sitting for one hour 2.00

Thursday 19

Stayed at home all day  
my wife is quite sick  
I saw Sister Louisa B.  
Smith H. C. Kimball &  
Silva L. Smith &c &c.  
grate is the work of the  
Lord in these last days



Sept 20<sup>69</sup> 1844

went to the temple could at  
sister Evens seal him up  
to his husband Horres his  
oldest son stood as proxy  
had hands on sister Turley  
the Lord is with me contin-  
ually

Sunday morning 22. 1844

I Preached to the congregation of the  
Saints had a good time <sup>talked</sup> to the saints  
some new things. had a council  
concerning with the men that came  
here to take up the murders of Bro  
Joseph & Hyman Smith  
Monday evening had a council  
with the 12 the High Priest & others  
concerning going after those men



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Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> 1844  
a list of arms from L.  
By Thomas M. Hodge  
one 2 barrel pointing piece  
Six single Bannell  
2 Swords & Pistol  
2 Bullet & Knives  
1 tin Bone Buckets  
3000 or more Caps  
1 Bannell of Powder  
1 lot of Lead

25<sup>th</sup> Ira Miles  
said Father Cutter told  
him about the Last Stone was  
laid on the wales of the Temple  
for it seemed the Deuel was  
in the thing.



Sept 23<sup>rd</sup> 1844

the murders

26 the governor came in to  
to town with about 4 or 5 hundred  
troops, we had officer drill

27 had our general parade  
the governor came on to the ground  
with general Harden and others  
of his officers we had a day, there  
was a good feeling among the  
officers and soldiers



M E

72

Oct the 3<sup>d</sup> 1844

Brother H. C. Kimball and my  
Self was at Br Steven Marcoms  
Sisters Eloya Snow & Betsey  
Zarechiles was there

We took dinner with them  
went to the temple

4 Br H. C. Kimball and my  
Self was at the sevents hall paid  
Sister Mary a short visit Sister  
Anny Wicks was there. Br  
Horton & wife put up there  
for Conprence

went up to the Temple in  
the fore noon. went to see  
Sister Clark lent him  
Seventy five dollars in gold



Oct 3<sup>rd</sup> 1844

Mother Smith	\$50.00
Willard Richards	26.56
H. C. Kimball	25.00
P. P. Pratt	35.00
D. Jones	50.00
L. Wadsworth	24.50

Samuel Shepard  
by Corn for temple  
Heaven Boy  
Length 10 feet with 3 ft on  
right 1 foot 3 inches



M & E

Oct 8<sup>th</sup> 74

1844

This day ended our conference we  
have organized eleven Disciples of  
Sevenths. have had a first rate  
conference

Br Kimball and myself stopped at  
Sister Frooms saw sisters Sarah Holby  
and Elary Blake

I John Nelson and

one gun for temple \$10. --

I was at Br Isaac Decker  
Sister Rebecca Holman was  
there on a visit Br H. C. F. --

10 at E. Snow. R. P. Pratt and sister  
Annex Parker was there



M E

75

Oct 10th 1844

Br H. C. Kimball & my self are at  
Br Ezra Chases from 10 am  
till 1/2 past 3 P.M.

H. C. R. Sharlot Chase  
Br G. Diana Chase was  
there we had a good visit

Tuesday the 15th

Br H. C. R. & my self started for the  
east from Br L. G. at 4 o'clock P.M.  
Came to Lapham put up with Br E.  
Bingham found Br R. R. Pratt there  
the next morning started for Antwerp.  
Came 44 miles stayed with Br Ames  
we fed in with 2 other teams that had  
been to conference. Bros Beman & Andrews  
17 came to Lafett staid with Br Grant.



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Oct 17<sup>th</sup> 1844

and Br Gillot came the next day  
to a place called Providence then  
all night at a tavern kept by H. Barry  
the ~~road~~ <sup>road</sup> ~~fel~~ <sup>fel</sup> a bout 6 inches in consequence  
the day - Saturday 19 came through  
to Antuaway 48 miles - found some  
of the Brethren they were well and in  
lively spirits. Br R. P. Pratt  
talked to the saints in the after  
noon of Sunday 20 had a meeting in the  
evening with the Brethren

21 Monday went to Br Millers  
took dinner cross the Fort river  
staid all nite with Br Dunavan  
22 Tuesday came to the Wagon  
settlement had a meeting in the  
evening with the Brethren



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Oct 23<sup>rd</sup> 1844

Br<sup>d</sup> H. C. Kimball P. P. Pratt &  
Lorenza young & my self held a m-  
eeting with the Bretherin in Norway  
I called the Bre<sup>n</sup> to order as a confer-  
ce. we appointed G. P. Dikes Presiding  
high Priest of the Branch & region of co-  
try - we ordained Br Miller a Bishop  
over the Branch in that place

we Bought one hundred acres of  
land from Br Gaudman & Canderson  
for the Purpus of laing it out for a city  
we celeccted the ground for a meeting  
house & stuck the stake at the  
South East corner

in the evening we ordained  
Br Busard high Priest for one  
of Br Dikes Councelors



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Staid all night at Dr Busards Caule  
on Br Kuss he said he was strong  
in the faith, the Brethern seem  
to be lenth to part with us

24 Thursday we left Centu-  
ay we drove all day against a  
strong south wind came to Br  
P. P. Pratts farm 43 miles  
found Br Anson Pratt and his  
family well they were very  
glad to see us Staid all night  
Cauld on Sister Telon she  
was glad to see us

25 Frida we came on  
3 miles this side of Peoria put  
up with Nathan Stevens. I  
have been unwell for a day or  
two but now am well



M. 6

79

Oct 31<sup>st</sup> 12. a.m. at Snively  
Dr P. P. Pratt was with me  
Hannah Snively & Susanah  
Snively was at home we  
took dinner. Dr Kimball was  
with me at the temple



M.T.

80

November 7th 1844

7th at Br S. B. Nobles Br  
Ed. Lyman Sister Olive Frost  
& my self & others was there  
10 on Sunday I Preached to the  
Saints on the Meeting ground  
there was a grate many People  
Present I spoke 2 ours to them we  
had a good time the Saints  
said they were satisfied and  
much edified

11th held a Council with  
twelve Bishops High Council  
Mair & Pallesman

12 went to the temple could  
to Br Richards & Br Linnall  
found them both better they  
had been sick



81  
Ormel Bats

Andrew Perkins

~~James~~ Lytle

Andrew Lytle

Charles Shumway

William L. Cutter

Cummins

James H. Glynes

Howard Egan

Joseph Pitton

Loueland

P. P. Pratt

Lyrus Daniels

Edmond Elworth

Joseph W. Johnson

Jessey D. Hunter

G. D. Watt

Jacob Wilder



Alfred Anderson Williams

Samuel S. Thomas

William Lewis

David Lewis

Milton Andrews

Isaac Burton

Samuel Clark

Wm. H. Langley

James Clemenson 500

Margaret Clemenson 500

Pay on 14th 1841 500

Dolley Bissell 500



Mr. [unclear] who [unclear]  
 The Land agency for  
 Selling real estate  
 Said at the foot of  
 Main Street, [unclear]  
 Biprous that [unclear] [unclear]  
 was an honorable [unclear]  
 Man, and that [unclear]  
 Smith would live a  
 little, and if [unclear]  
 would live he would  
 do worse. [unclear]  
 [unclear] [unclear]  
 Two witnesses [unclear]



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Loren Larr  
Charon Larr  
Charles Patten  
Faints  
Aderson Revere

Jan 20

Mary Snively Cnd  
for temple - 5.00

Mary A Snively 5.00

Susanah Snively Cnd  
for temple & stock 1.00



M E

84

Wensdy 15<sup>th</sup> of January 1845

went to the Temple & stone Quarry  
at Br J. B. Nables saw sister  
Mary Ann Clark. and went  
to Senent's hall in the evening  
and at Br Aaron Jonson  
~~went to the~~ high counsel was  
there visiting

16 ~~went~~ went to the temple spent  
the most of the day with B. H. C.  
Kimball in correcting his history  
went to Robert Pearees in  
the after noon with H. C. F.

17 went to the temple and  
to doct<sup>rs</sup> <sup>Richards</sup> to see about the record of  
the church. in the evening Br Kimball  
J. Taylor & J. A. Smith was at my  
uperoom in the evening



Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 1845

went to the temple eat supper  
at Br Joshaway Hotinens

19 at the temple went to  
see sister Brinelye paraly  
spent some time with Doct  
Richards also at W. R. son  
time

21 the new Poles was  
organized last Saturday  
this morning wrote a letter  
to Br P. H. Young to Hinton  
Br L. D. Young & H. C. Jr  
with me at Br W. Richards  
the Quorum of 12 had a council  
in the evening Br J. B. Hinckell  
Orson Pratt J. A. Smith Amasa  
Lyman present Br E. Jordan  
was with us



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January 22<sup>nd</sup> 1845

went Br Richards Printing office  
at Br Woodards visiting  
yesterday John McCune ran  
against Br R. Persons Daughter

23 went to Doc Richards vote to  
Br Bonson & sister A. C. went to the  
temple from there to Doct R. to H. C. R.  
N. H. W. A. Lymons J. Furles John Taylor  
Br Patrick home then to C. Hydes  
got a lot for sister Hadlock came  
home. Br John Scott was at my house  
said Br Aaron Smith had just return  
ed from A. J. J. he said McEwen  
was up there lectured to the mob he  
told them they must drive the  
mormons from canvas before the  
temple was done or they never could



Friday 24<sup>th</sup> the 1845

Bro H. C. Fimball and J. P. L. Whitney was at my house we washed and anointed and prayed had a good time. I inquired of the Lord whether we should stay here and finish the temple the answer was we should. Bro Hyde arrived from St Louis Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> had good success there.

Saturday 25

Bro Camber is engraven an Priest seal for the Twelve sent to the temple this morning.

Sunday 26

I was sick in the morning went to the high Priest Council they agreed to finish the upper.



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part of temple next summer  
then I went to the temple stone  
had a meeting in the high Quorum  
monday 27

attended to sending the brethren  
of on these mission

28 went to the temple  
had a letter from Wm P. Richards  
Maccumb concerning emigration  
to some other place

29 went to the temple  
had a council with the Trustees &  
Committee I think good will result  
It proved came to Elders Kimball's  
assisted him to prepare his journal  
for the paper. Bro Kimball named  
his son Brigham ~~Wells~~ 9 &  
I blessed him



Thursday Jan 30<sup>th</sup> 1845  
went to the temple and other places  
held a council with the City Council  
high council old Poles & others -  
had a good meeting was at Br Snods  
in the evening stopped at Br Woodards  
she gave me a purse

31 Thursday  
had visitors at my house, a lot  
25 visited till after midnight

Feb the first  
had my family at my house on  
a visit. Br I & 2 young Stray and  
others of our family -

2 I preached in the  
Consort Hall a full house &  
a good meeting spent the evening  
at home with my family

Monday 3 went to the



3 Feb 1845 90  
election of the city Council there  
was a bout 9 hundred votes without  
any division, went to Br Gleason on  
the paria stage all night

Tuesday 4 had a council  
with the fifty righted up & organized  
we dropped a number of the members

5 went to the temple to sister  
Lange took dinner with L Young

Thursday 6 Br Lorenzo Young  
started for Ohio with Lorenzo Snow  
Br Folk took them in his carriage to  
Lyman I Preached Br Whitney  
funeral sermon in the concert hall  
a large congregation took dinner with  
Br Orson Spencer. Supper with  
Sara Whitney

Saturday 8 attended city Council  
the old council dissolved & the new



Feb 8 1845 91

Council took there place they  
seem to appoint there officers for the  
city Br Kimball took dinner with  
me just at night we went to the  
Chase on the Prairie stand all night

9 Br Kimball and myself  
Preached at Br Horners mill had  
a first meeting with the Bretherin  
and a large congregation came home  
Spent the evening with Br J. Young  
at Doct Richards

Monday 11 Eliot one of the  
murders of Joseph & Hyram  
came in town was taken up and  
brought before square wells and  
Johnson pronounced guilty sent to  
Cathage on Thursday morning the  
12th Spent my time at the  
Temple did not attend the trial



The Subject of the dispensation  
of the fulness of times ~~season~~

EPHESIANS I. 9-10

9- Having made known unto us <sup>the</sup> mystery  
of his will, according to his good  
pleasure which he hath purposed  
in himself.

10- That in the dispensation of  
the fulness of times, he might  
gather together in one all things  
in Christ both which are in  
heaven and which are on earth  
even in him -

Gen 3-9-10

9 and the Lord God called unto  
Adam and said unto him  
where art thou?

10 and he said, I heard thy  
voice in the garden,



and I was afraid because  
I was naked; and I hid myself.

Gen 4 = 4

and Abel, he also brought  
of the firstlings of his flock,  
and of the fat thereof. and  
the Lord had respect unto  
to Abel, and to his offering:



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Lricia 21<sup>st</sup> 1845

I Preached the funeral sermon of  
Br Morris Whitesides at Robert Pice  
Saturday 22 attended the high council  
Br Elester Brooks was tried and cleared  
Sunday 23 Preached at Gliram  
Himball had a good meeting

on Monday 24 went to Masado-  
na in company with H. C. Himball  
George Miller O. Pratt. A. Lyman  
Wm Clayton George D. Grant E. J. Woley  
John Key J. L. Smith we came in  
6 ours found all well

25 Spent the day with the  
Brotherin settling up the church affairs  
had a meeting in the evening Br O. Pratt  
A. Lyman G. Miller and my self spoke  
we had a first rate time in meeting



The names of  
the Twelve as chosen  
in council

- 1- Lyman E Johnson
- 2- Brigham Young
- 3 Heber C. Kimball
- 4 Orson Hyde
- 5 Luke Johnson
- 6 David W. Patten
- 7 William E. McLellan
- 8 John F. Boynton
- 9 Wm Smith
- 10 Orson Pratt
- 11 Thomas B. Marsh
- 12 Parley P. Pratt



February 25 - 1845

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at Br Benjamin Johnson Ramos  
after meeting we set up till late. I set up  
till between one & two o.c. in the morning Br  
Gorge Grant & was Dossiles and John Hey  
was watching. a bout  $\frac{1}{2}$  past 2 o.c. the  
Br from Nauvoo came in to town a bout  
10 in number. they waked us up. we  
thought it was the mob at first but soon  
found our mistake the Brethren at Nauvoo  
heard that Br Fimball and myself was taken  
to Carthage. jale by the mob this was the  
reson of the Brs coming out

we returned home to Nauvoo Tuesday.  
The 26.22 of the Ramos Brethren came  
out part way with us. we met a smart  
snow storm in a bout 6 miles from town  
arrived safe home found all well, and  
on the whole we had a first rate visit to  
Ramos



24th Thursday 27th 1845

<sup>97</sup>  
This morning went down to the  
river Bank where the grate dam is to be  
built to dedicate the ground. I called upon  
Br J. E. Page to make the ~~prayer~~ dedica-  
tion Prayer then went to Br M. Richards  
was in council till about 3 o'clock P.M.  
we appointed Br A. Lyman to go to  
visit James Emets company to try to  
reclaim them Br D. Spencer goes  
with him. in the evening went to  
Fathers John Smiths to pray for him  
we adest and prayed and had a good meet-  
ing and he was lulled

L & I went to the temple saw  
the trustees all things going well visited  
Br Truman Angel and Mother Angel  
and Br Woodards folks in the evening



Saturday March 1<sup>st</sup> 1845

This day I could<sup>98</sup> the Council of 50 to  
gether admitted of some others taking seats  
in the room of absent members Br J. D. Lee  
& J. Pack seated, we had a good meeting it lasted  
all day.

Sunday I did not leave the house till just  
evening could on Father John Smith a few minutes.  
came home went with my wife to mother Smith

Monday 3 I was still more unwell  
Br Kimball came to my house wanted I  
should go with him on to the hill. I went  
with him to see Br Beach came home  
quite sick went to bed did not get up till  
Thursday, walked out to Br Joseph Youngs  
on Friday, rode on to the hill Saturday the 8  
I had no doctor in my sickness but  
the Lord and my wife and the laying  
on of the hands of the Elders



March 28<sup>th</sup> 1845

went to Br Packs took supper  
there was a bout 90 took s/s per

30 Sunday I went to the stand  
made preparations for the Conference

31 I received a letter from J. Craig mo

April 1<sup>st</sup> 1845

this day I comenced revising the  
History of the Church Br G. T. Smith  
was with me, we took grate delight  
in perusing the history of the Church in  
its infancy

I called at Br L young's in the  
morning sister Dianita Walker was there



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March 25th 1845

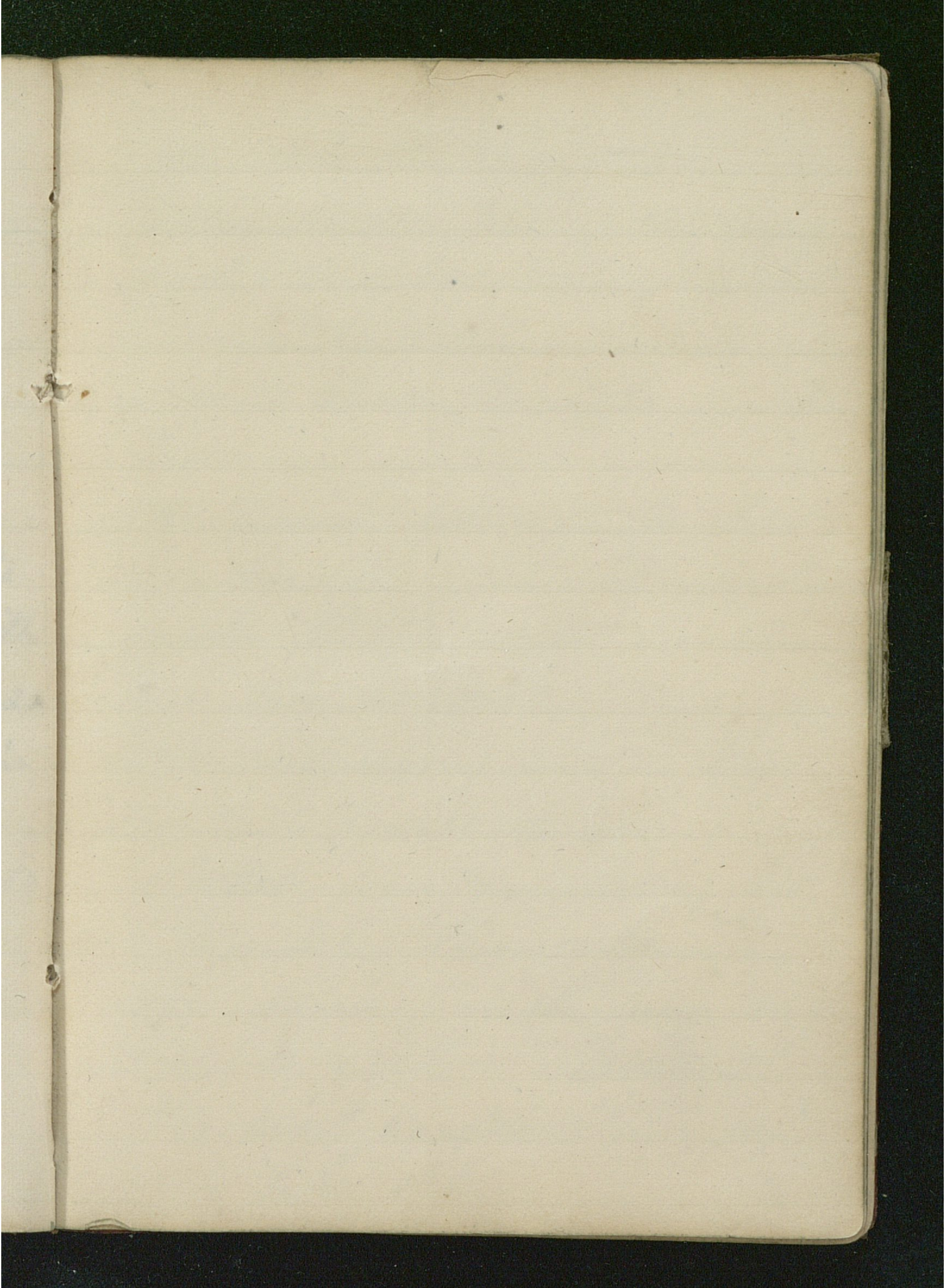
Went to the bank to take up  
the money I had taken up for  
B.D. during the week. The bank  
was very busy for the day.  
I went with the man to the bank  
and saw the money.

April 1st 1845

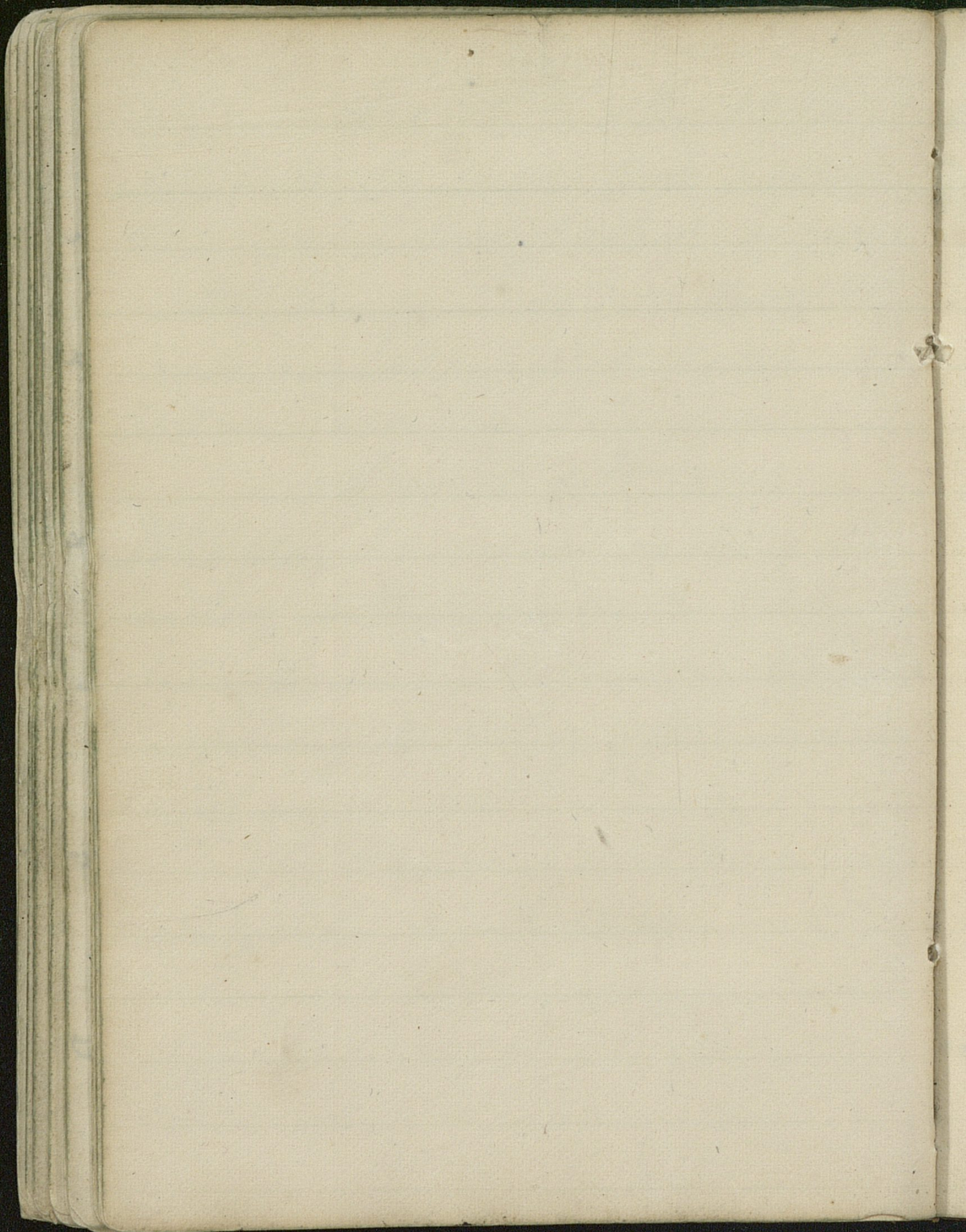
This day I commenced writing the  
history of the church. The first  
part was written, and I had  
in writing the history of the church in  
its infancy.

I went to the bank to take up  
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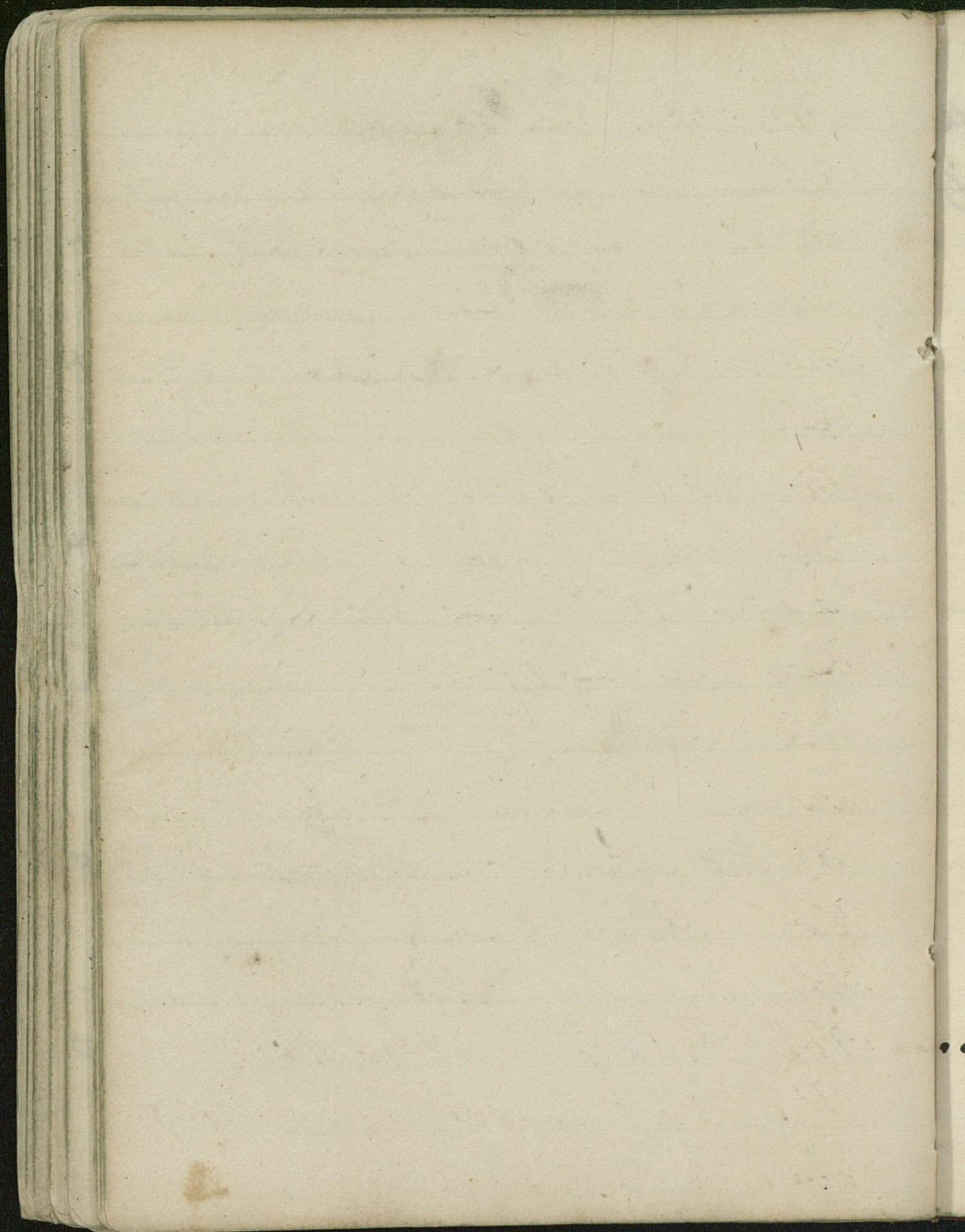






March 10th 1840  
in the afternoon I went to the  
the Church, and saw the  
remains of a brick wall  
near to Charles Daniels garden  
The Daniel's lot in the town  
of 100 ft. in width and  
about 100 ft. in length  
The lot 1840  
The discovery of the lot  
was made by the  
lot on Cambridge and  
Daniel's. The center of  
the lot is about 100 ft.  
about 10 ft. from the  
center of Cambridge and  
the lot 1840







March the 15 - 1841

Letters to the Bishops & Clergy  
By Sir Charles Wobseley Bart  
Presented by a Bible Reader  
Letters to Charles Daniel by a Bible  
Reader

Mr Daniel's letters to the Rev.  
Mr. Powell a church minister  
a letter to the Rev Mr Powell  
Feb the 12 - 1840

the controversy between the  
Rev. H. T. Powell Vicar of  
Stretton-on-Dunsmore; and  
C. Daniel, Shoemaker in  
the same Parish Nov 1837  
.. Doubts whether Matthew  
Parker's consecration did  
ever take Place

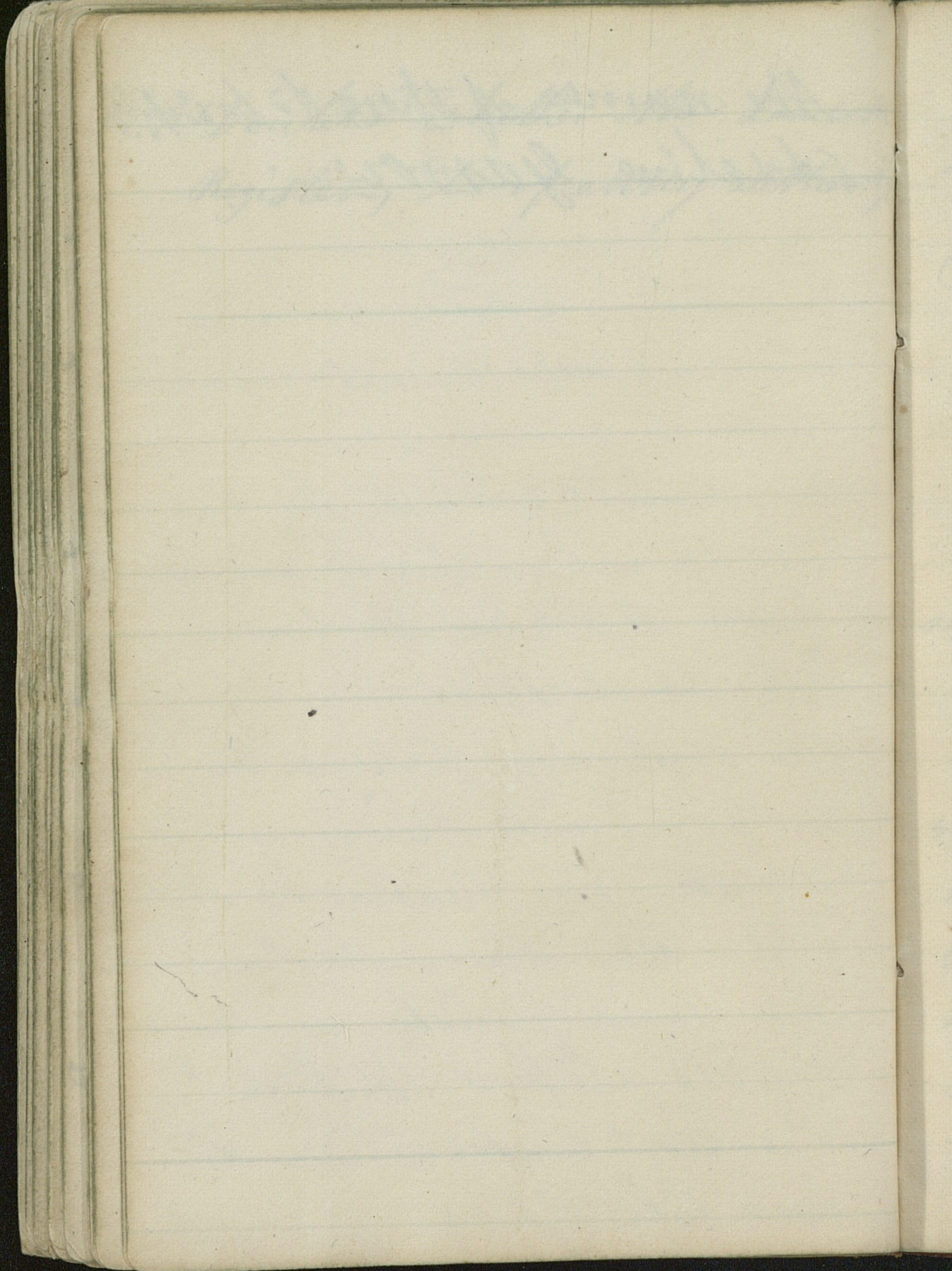


.. Doubts whether the Lambeth  
Register, be of any authority



Let  
city  
The names of those to be Bpht  
Adeline Garrow



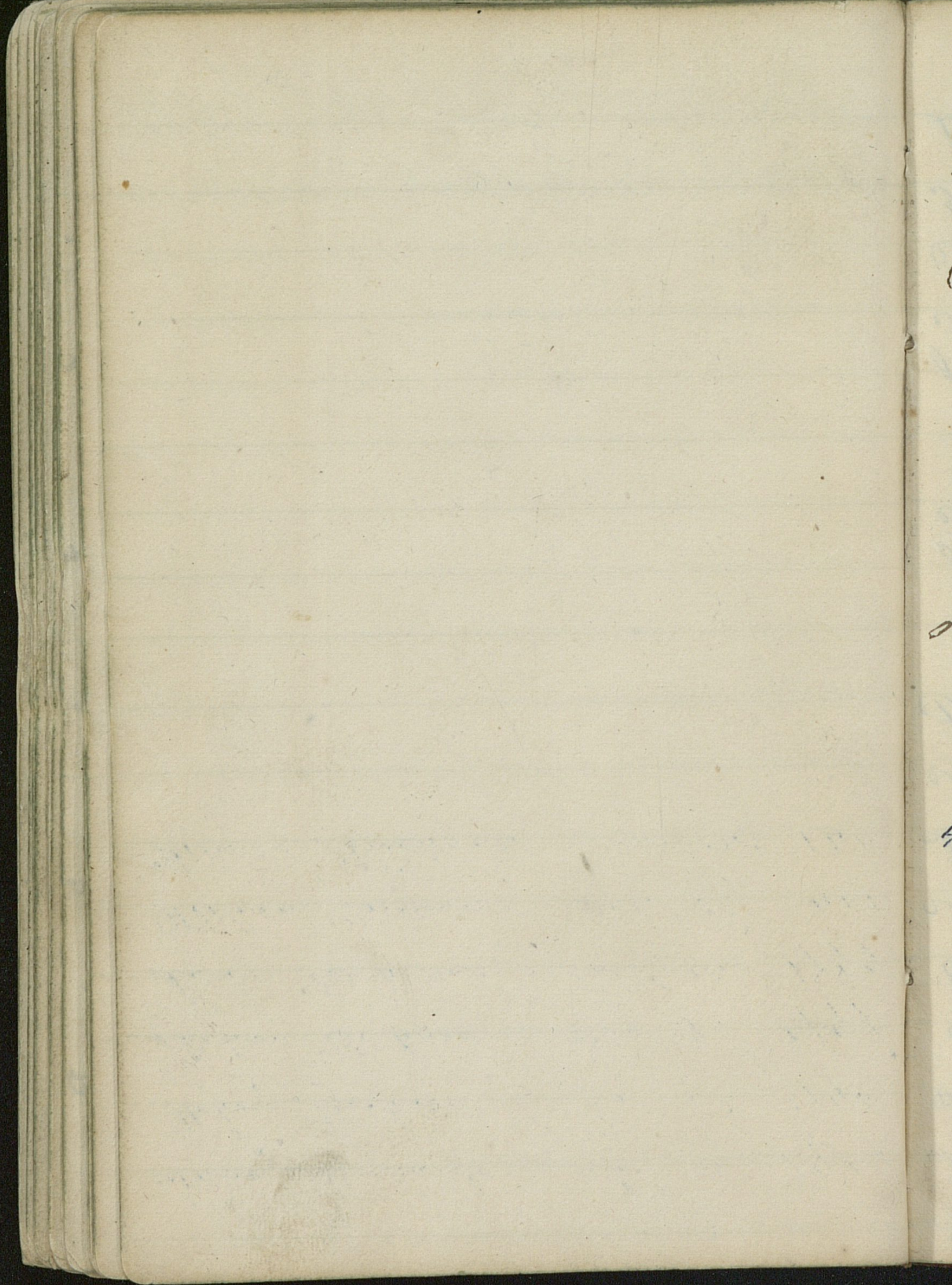




1847  
July 1st  
To the  
Hon. Secy of the  
Treasury  
Washington  
D.C.  
Dear Sir  
I have the honor  
to acknowledge  
the receipt of  
your letter of  
the 24th inst.  
and in reply to  
inform you that  
the same has  
been forwarded  
to the proper  
authorities for  
their consideration.

I am, Sir,  
Very respectfully,  
Your obedient  
servant,  
J. M. Smith  
Acting Secy of the  
Treasury







43 Norfolk St

John Taylor Liverpool

4 pence  
4 1 2  
0 1 3  
0 1 5  
0 1 5  
4 3 3  
0 1 5



Modesitte Charles Duke  
Joseph Parker

Leicester & Williams  
in the Virginia  
South of the

London  
in the State of

Warren County  
North Carolina

North Carolina

Deane & Co

10 00  
12 90  
24  
57 5  
26 5



Dr. J. M. Modditt

Dr. J. M. Modditt

one cow in 22 days  
45 lbs of butter  
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Brother David Nelson  
lives in Warren County  
Franklin Township  
works for Worley



Notes in B. Young in  
his character

Agate attachment	deg - 17
Love of children	Do - 12
Concentrativeness	Do - 10
Self esteem	-- 13
approbationess	-- 13
Cautiousness	12
firmness	18
Conscientiousness	13
veneration 13 hope	12
benevolence 13 imitation	12
mirthfulness 13 causality	15
comparison 13 eventuality	13
individuality	12
locality 13 form	12
Combationess	12
Distinctiveness	12



Secretiveness

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mechanical

12

Order 10



Study or imagination	10
Calculation	13
Time 12 time	12
Alimentativeness	12
Amativeness	13
Language	13

Sept 16 1844

money for to send	
for guns gold	\$118 12
in paper	227.00
in silver	127.00



100.  
New Franklin March 30. 1839<sup>H.</sup>

Dear Sir

I now attempt to write you a few lines to express, in short, the feelings and desires of my heart. I saw Brother Kimball at Far west soon after you left that place, and he invited me very strongly to come back and go with him to England. I asked him if he could forgive me, and he said yes. I asked him if the Church would forgive me, and he said yes. and I told him I would come and go with him. and so I will (if the Lord permit).

When I see you and the Church I will give you a full history of my course, and



and the reasonings of my  
mind; and <sup>101</sup>freely confess  
all my sins; and as to the  
terms upon which I can be  
received back into my place  
I shall not be particular;  
for to live in this way I cannot;  
and to join any other society,  
I have no more disposition than  
to eat when I am full.

I talked of writing to England, but  
have not done it. I saw I was  
placed in a situation that I could  
do no good, and felt disposed to  
do as little harm as possible.  
Sometimes, during the past winter,  
my mind had been so exercised  
that I could neither work nor sleep,  
and would frequently find



myself weeping before I was  
a ware of it; <sup>101</sup> and asking myself  
this question why in Gods name is it so  
what have I done that I am left in  
this situation, or rather that I have  
been suffered to fall into this  
dilemma. when I returned

from England, my spirit was  
pure and my soul loved virtue.

I was unconscious of guilt.  
when I lay sick at Danvers  
I thought if I could but depart  
I should be at rest. I felt like  
taking no part whatever in the  
Danite movements,

The convictions of my own mind  
were, that it was not a good and  
virtuous institution, and  
these convictions were strengthened



by the tales of some who had  
been initiated into the mysteries

OC, &c. 102

But these things do not rest upon  
my mind with that weight  
which they did at that time,  
I may say, they are no more in  
my mind now than a feather  
in the wind. I had engaged  
a school which would have  
been worth three hundred  
dollars a year or more  
before I started for Far West.  
I however, would not bind my  
self for only a quarter at  
a time. When in the upper  
Country I intended to have gone  
to Liberty to see the prisoners,  
But there had been an attempt



made to release them a few days  
before, and for this reason they <sup>102</sup>  
would admit no one into the  
prison; therefore I did not go.  
I spoke with Parley through the  
cracks and thought if I had been  
a Sampson, the prisoners  
should go free.

Bro. Kimball told me I had  
better get clear of my school  
if I could. I have done so since  
I returned, and expect Bro.  
Oliver Olney to send a team  
here for my family in the  
course of two or three weeks.  
He will take them to the Iowa  
Territory, there is a fine  
chance for me in a wholesale  
grocery here,



Can get good wages and am  
now in the owners<sup>103</sup> employ until  
the team comes. Had I better  
remain here a time in order  
to fit myself for a mission  
or campaign, or had I better  
leave as soon as the team  
comes for my family,  
and if I leave here where shall  
I find the authorities of the  
Church; the chastening  
hand of the Lord has done for  
me that which nothing else  
would, I think. If the  
Church will accept me as  
a minister, or a soldier, or  
a door-keeper, they can  
have me. I need not write  
to you that I have literally



died and been raised from the  
dead since I was last at Far  
West, But I will tell you  
more about it when I see you  
face to face. Keep this part to  
yourself, if you please

Brigham, will you forgive me;  
will the Church forgive me?

If so, God will  
forgive me.

Please write me immediately  
on rec of this  
and tell me all you think  
to be for my good

Direct to New Franklin  
Howard County

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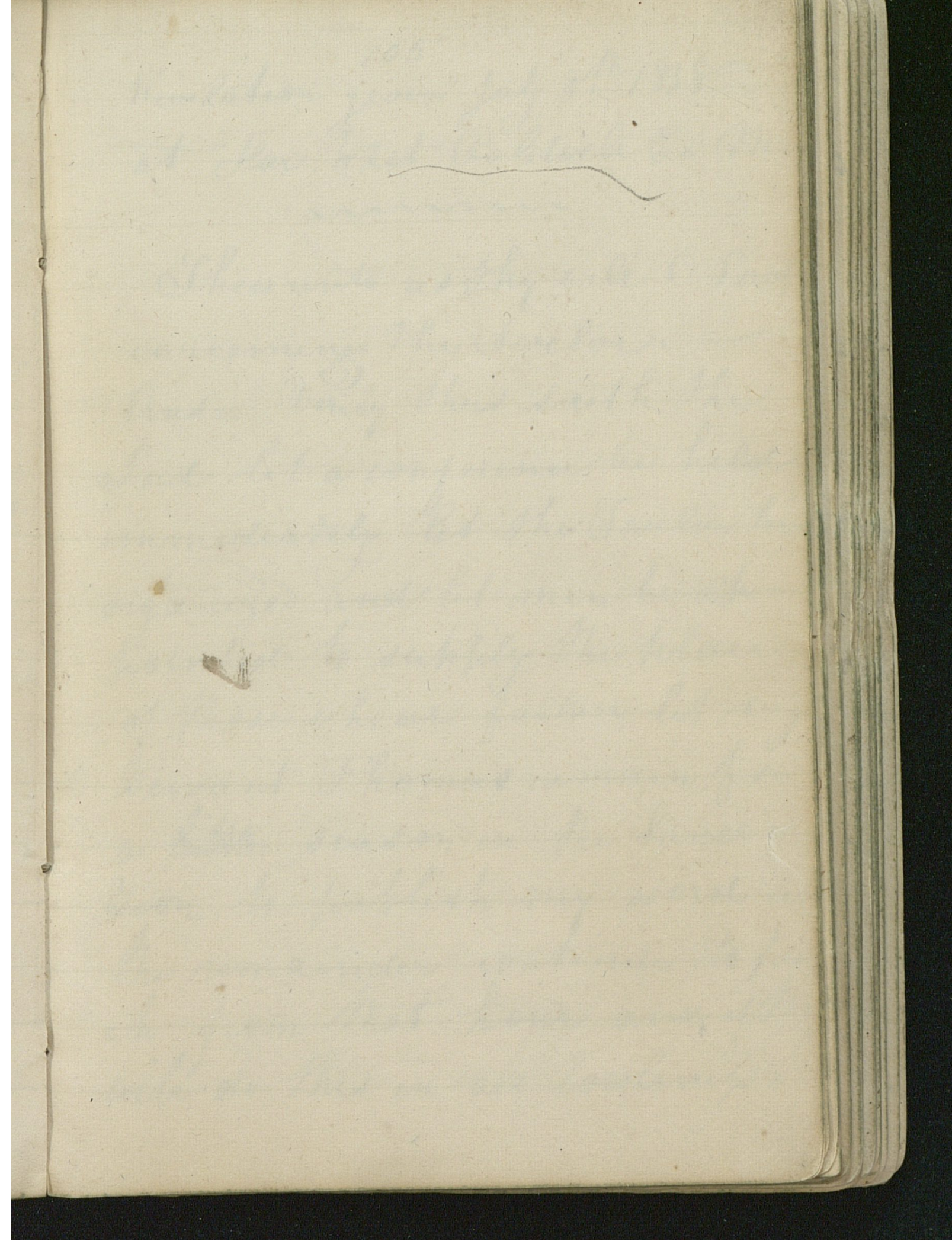


whatever the church may decide  
upon respecting my <sup>104</sup> case, they may  
rest assured that the ~~feelings of~~  
following are the real wishes of  
my heart.

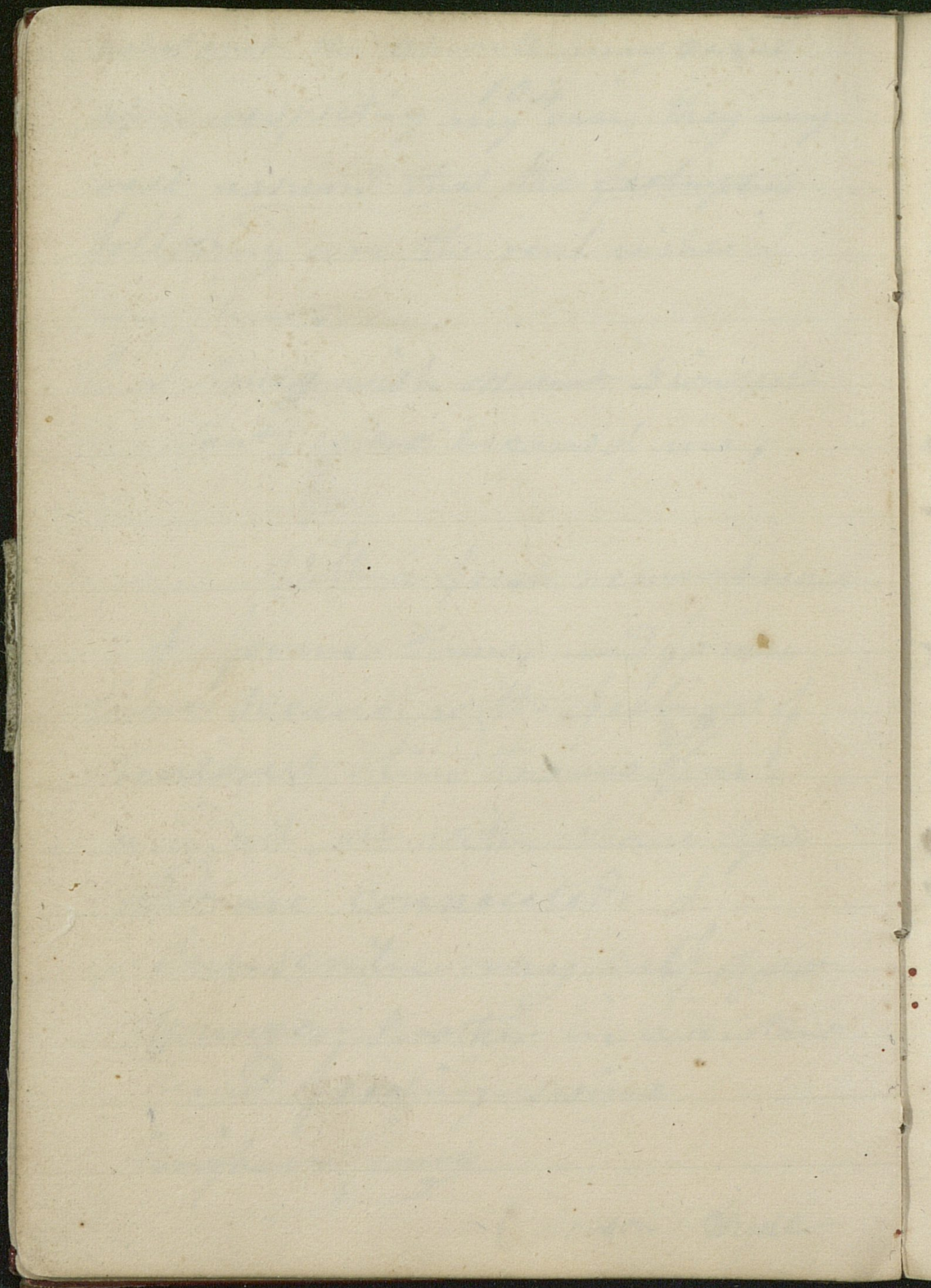
"I truly wish Mount Zion well  
what ~~ever~~ because of me."

With a fresh remembrance  
of former times, and former  
times, I fear. with feelings of  
tenderest kind towards you,  
and all all with whom you  
and are connected, I  
subscribe myself Your  
Younger Brother in a distant  
land feeding swine  
Brigham Young  
Orson Hyde











Revelation given July 8<sup>th</sup> 1838  
at Far West Caldwell Co Mo

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I shew unto us thy will O Lord  
concerning the Twelve. —

Ans = Verily thus saith the  
Lord let a conference be held  
immediately let the Twelve be  
organized and let men be ap-  
pointed to supply the place  
of those who are fallen let my  
servant Thomas remain for  
a ~~little~~ season in the land of  
Zion to publish my word let  
the remainder continue to pre-  
ach from that hour and if they  
will do this in all lowliness of



heart in meekness and pureness  
 and long suffering. O the Lord  
 God give unto them a promise  
 that I will provide for their  
 families and an effectual door  
 shall be opened for them from  
 henceforth and next spring  
 let them depart to go over the  
 great waters and there promulge  
 my gospel the fulness thereof  
 and to bear record of my name  
 let them take leave of my serving  
 in the City Fear West on the 26<sup>th</sup>  
 day of April next on the building  
 spot of my house south the Lord  
 let my servant John Taylor and  
 also my servant John E. Page



and also my servant Wilford  
Woodruff and also my servant  
Willard Richards be appointed  
to fill the places of those who  
have fallen and be officially  
notified of their appointment



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A Revelation  
 given Portland July the 3. 1837  
minutes

the word of the Lord unto Thomas B.  
 Marsh concerning the twelve  
 Apostles of the Lamb. verely thus  
 saith the Lord unto you <sup>my</sup> servant  
 & Thomas: I have heard thy prayers  
 and thine alms have come up as a  
 memorial before me in behalf of  
 those thy Brethren who are chosen  
 to have testimony of my name and  
 to send it abroad among all nations  
 kindreds & tongues and people, and  
 obtained through the instrumentality  
 of my servants. Verely I say unto you  
 there have been some fine things in  
 thine heart and with thee, with



which I the Lord ~~was~~ not well  
Pleased, nevertheless, <sup>108</sup> inasmuch as  
thou hast abased thy self thou shalt  
be exalted. therefore all thy sins  
are forgiven thee; let thy heart  
be of good cheer before my face  
and thou shalt bear record of my name  
not only unto the Gentiles but also unto  
the Jews, and thou shalt send forth  
my word unto the ends of the Earth.  
Content thou therefore morning by morning  
and after day, let thy morning voice  
go forth: and when the night cometh let  
not the inhabitance of Earth slumber;  
because of thy speech, let thy habitation  
be known in Zion and remove not  
thy house; for I the Lord have  
a grate work for thee to do in  
publishing my name among the



children of men; therefore gird up  
your loins for the <sup>108</sup> work, let your feet  
be shod also for thou art chosen and  
thy path byeth among the mountains.  
and among many nations, and by thy  
word many high ones shall be brought  
low and by thy word many low ones shall  
be exalted thy voice shall be a rebuke  
unto the transgressors, and at thy  
rebuke, let the tongue of the slanderer  
cease its perverseness, be thou humble  
and the Lord thy God shall lead thee  
by thy hand and give thee an answer  
to thy prayers. I know they hart and  
have heard thy prayers concerning  
thy Brethren; he not partial to  
wards them in love as love many  
~~others~~ but let your love be for  
them as for yourself;



and let your love abound unto  
all men. and unto all who love  
my name, and pray for your  
Brothers of the twelve. Admonish  
them sharply for my name sake.  
and let them be admonished for  
all their sins and be ye faithful  
before me unto my name,  
and after their temptations &  
much tribulations behold I the  
Lord will seeke after them &  
if they harden not their hearts and  
stiffen not their necks against me  
they shall be converted and I  
will heal them. Now I say  
unto you, and what I say unto  
you I say unto all the twelve;  
arise gird up your loins take up  
your cross. follow me and feed



my sheep; etalt not yourselves,  
rebel not against my servant  
Joseph for verily I say unto you  
I am with him and my hand shall  
be over him, and the keys which  
I have given him: and also to you  
ward shall not be taken from him  
untill I com. Verily I say unto  
you my servant Thomas shall  
be the man whome I have chosen  
to hold the keys of my Kingdom as  
pertaining to the twelve a broad  
among all nations that thou may-  
est be my servant to unlock the  
dore of the Kingdom in all places  
where my servant Joseph and  
my servant Sidney and my servant  
Abram cannot come; for on  
them have I layed the burden of



all the churches, for a little  
season. <sup>110</sup> wherefore ~~whether~~  
~~whether~~ ~~whether~~ ~~whether~~ ~~whether~~ ~~whether~~  
shall send you: go ye and  
I will be with you and in what  
soever place ye shall proclame  
my name an effectual doore shall  
be opened unto you: that they may  
receiue my word: whosoever re-  
ceiveth my word receiveth me,  
and whosoever <sup>receiveth</sup> me receiveth  
those the first Presidency whom  
I have sent, whom I have made  
councillors for my name sake unto  
you: and again I say unt you  
that whosoever ye shall send  
in my name by the voice of  
your Brethren the Twelve duly  
recommended and authorised by



you shall have power to open the  
110  
door of my Kingdom unto any Nation  
whithersoever ye shall send them:  
inasmuch as they humble them-  
selves before me and abide in  
my word and hearken to the voice of  
my spirit. Verily; Verily I  
say unto you darkness covereth  
the Earth and gross darkness  
the mind of the People, and all  
flesh has become corrupt before  
my face: behold vengeance cometh  
speedily upon the inhabitants  
of the Earth; a day of wrath a  
day of burning; a day of dis-  
truction of weeping, of mourning  
and of Lamentation; and as a  
whirlwind it shall come upon  
all the face of the Earth;



saiſt the Lord, and upon my  
House shall it <sup>111</sup>begin, and from  
in my House shall it go  
forth ſaiſt the Lord. first  
upon those among you ſaiſt  
the Lord who have professed  
to know my name and have  
~~not~~ known me and have  
blasphemed against me in  
the midst of my house ſaiſt  
the Lord. Therefore see to it  
that ye trouble not your  
selves concerning the affairs  
of my Church in this place  
ſaiſt the Lord. but purify  
your hearts before me, and  
then go ye into all the world  
and preach my gospel unto  
every creature which have



not received it & he that believeth  
and is baptised shall be saved,  
and he that believeth not and is not  
baptised shall be damned —  
for unto You (the twelve) and those  
of the first presidency who are  
appointed with you to be your  
Councillors and your leaders is  
the Power of this Priesthood given  
for the last days and for the last  
times in the which is the  
dispensation of the fulness of  
times. which power you hold  
in connection with all those who  
have received a dispensation at  
any time from the beginning  
of the Creation; for Verily I  
say unto you the Keys of the  
dispensation which ye have



received have come down from  
the Fathers. <sup>112</sup> and last of all  
being sent down from Heaven  
unto you. Verily I say unto  
you: behold how grate is  
your Culling. Cleanse  
your hearts, and your garments  
lest the blood of this  
generation be required at  
your hands; be faithful  
untill I come for I come  
quickly and my reward is  
with me to recompence  
every man according as  
his works shall be

I am Alpha  
and

Omega

Amen



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William Pearson was born May 2.  
Nancy Pearson November 22: 1792  
Edwin Dwight born Dec. 10.<sup>th</sup> 1819  
Eliza Ann — April 14<sup>th</sup> 1822  
Amelia Elizabeth April 16<sup>th</sup> 1825  
Levi Richards March 29<sup>th</sup> 1827  
Albert Howe June 8<sup>th</sup> 1829 died Oct.  
Susan Sanford Dec. 13<sup>th</sup> 1831 <sup>(15<sup>th</sup> 1839)</sup>

Joseph Richards, born March 17<sup>th</sup> 1762

Rhoda Richards — July 7<sup>th</sup> 1762

Were Married Dec 20<sup>th</sup> 1791

Joseph Richards born Sept. 29<sup>th</sup> 1792

Rhoda Richards — Aug 7<sup>th</sup> 1794

Susan Richards — Aug 13<sup>th</sup> 1796

Phineas Richards — Nov 15<sup>th</sup> 1797

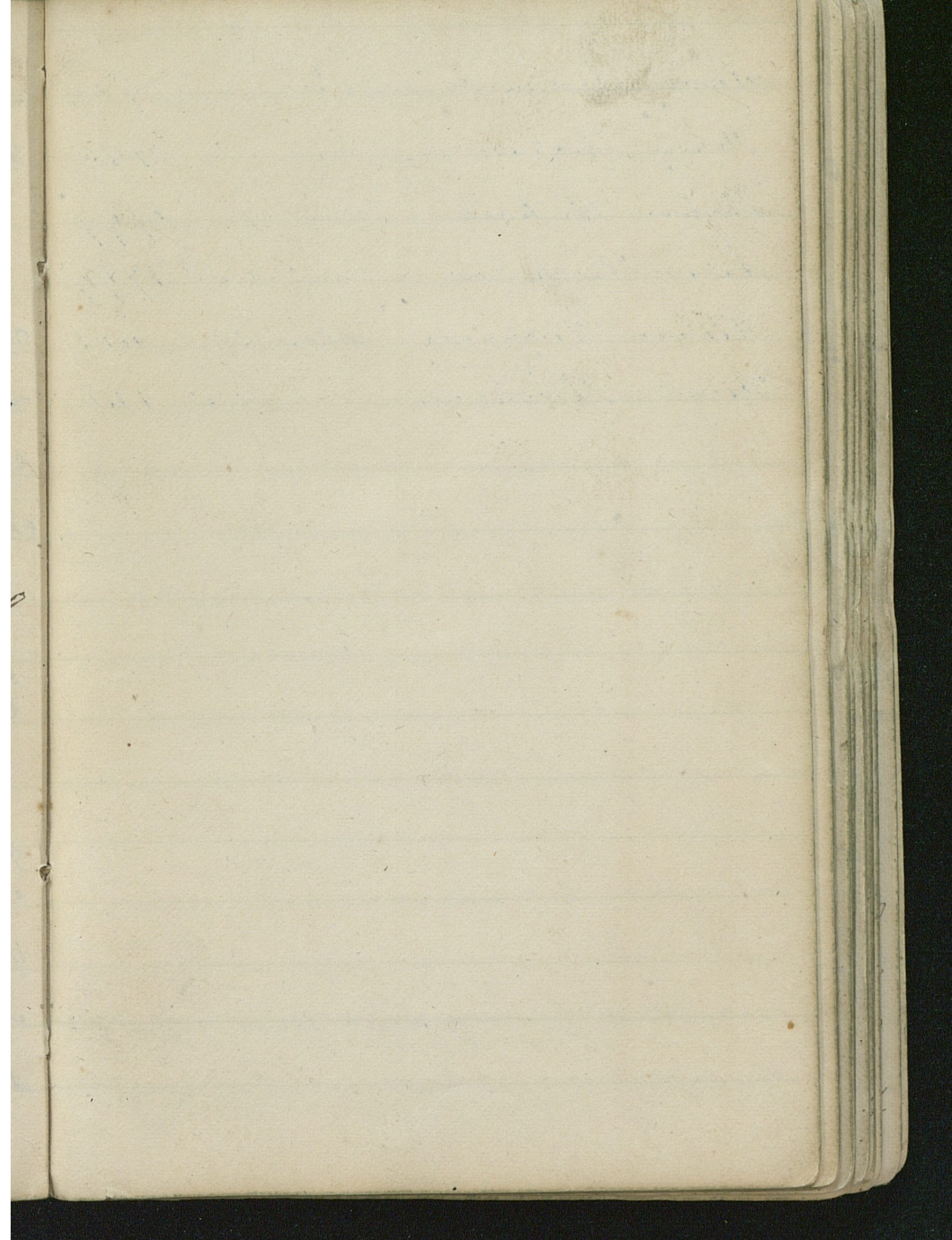
Levi Richards — Dec 7<sup>th</sup> 1790



Nancy Richards — Nov 22 1792  
Hepsey Richards — July 27<sup>th</sup> 1795  
Betsey Richards — May 17<sup>th</sup> 1797  
Levi Richards — April 14<sup>th</sup> 1799  
William Richards — May 2<sup>nd</sup> 1801  
Willard Richards — June 24<sup>th</sup> 1804

Manchester Oct 12-1840  
at Brother Richards —  
No 1 Chapman Street  
Sister Catherine told  
Br Richards that Br-  
Joseph Smith & Council  
was on their way to England  
and would be here soon  
Brothers H. C. Kimball & W.  
Woodruff present







Samuel Richards - March 22 1874  
Henry Richards - July 22 1874  
Richard Richards - May 17 1874  
Sam Richards - April 22 1874  
William Richards - May 2 1874  
Richard Richards - June 24 1874

Manchester col 1874  
at Arthur Richards  
Chapman Street  
Boston on the river side  
see Richards that I have  
Joseph Smith was present  
and on their way to England  
and I stand by them from  
Boston to the fall of 1874  
When they were



